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Re: Hosston Zone, Reservoir C
Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A
Liberty Hill Field
Bienville Parish, Louisiana

Dear Commissioner Welsh:

Application is hereby made on behalf of **ANADARKO PETROLEUM CORPORATION** for the calling of public hearings, after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the Hosston Zone, Reservoir C, and the Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A, in Liberty Hill Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana:

Hosston Zone, Reservoir C

1. To establish rules and regulations and to create a pattern of drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Hosston Zone, Reservoir C, in Liberty Hill Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana, said units designated HOSS RC SUA through HOSS RC SUE, all as shown on the plat attached hereto and made a part hereof.
2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within each of the proposed units with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.

3. To provide that any future wells drilled to the Hosston Zone, Reservoir C, in Liberty Hill Field, should be located no closer than 330 feet from existing unit lines and no closer than 1,500 feet between wells (including substitute and alternate unit wells) on competitive units.

4. To provide that the Commissioner of Conservation should be authorized to reclassify the Hosston Zone, Reservoir A, in Liberty Hill Field, by supplemental order without the necessity of a public hearing if the producing characteristics of such reservoir changes and evidence to justify such reclassification is submitted to and accepted by the Commissioner of Conservation.

5. To consider such others matters as may be pertinent.

The Hosston Zone, Reservoir C, in the Liberty Hill Field, is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the depths of 8,365 feet and 12,037 feet (electrical log measurements) in the Williams Exploration Company – J.W. Low No. 1 Well, located in Section 6, Township 15 North, Range 4 West, Bienville Parish, Louisiana.

Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A

1. To establish rules and regulations and to create a pattern of drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A, in Liberty Hill Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana, said units designated CV RA SUA through CV RA SUE, all as shown on the plat attached hereto and made a part hereof.

2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within each of the proposed units with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.

3. To provide that any future wells drilled to the Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A, in Liberty Hill Field, should be located no closer than 330 feet from existing unit lines and no closer than 1,500 feet between wells (including substitute and alternate unit wells) on competitive units.

4. To provide that the Commissioner of Conservation should be authorized to reclassify the Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A, in Liberty Hill Field, by supplemental order without the necessity of a public hearing if the producing characteristics of such reservoir changes and evidence to justify such reclassification is submitted to and accepted by the Commissioner of Conservation.

5. To consider such others matters as may be pertinent.

The Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A, in the Liberty Hill Field, is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the depths of 10,590 feet and 16,105 feet (electrical log measurements) in the J-W Operating Company - Davis Brothers 20 No. 1 Well, located in Section 20, Township 16 North, Range 4 West, Bienville Parish, Louisiana.

Pertinent data, including well logs, may be obtained **AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY** from Frank Davis, Anadarko Petroleum Corporation, 1201 Lake Robbins Drive, The Woodlands, Texas 77380, Telephone No. (832)636-3130.

February 25, 2005


Pursuant to the Rules of Procedure, a pre-application conference was held in Lafayette, Louisiana, on February 21, 2005, at which the parties named on the attached list were in attendance. The conference was opened by representatives of the applicant who explained the bases of the units being proposed. Questions were asked and answered. No counterplans were presented. The conference was then adjourned.

Attached hereto and made a part hereof are plats outlining the applicant's proposals, the conference attendance list and a list of the names and addresses of the Interested Owners, Represented Parties, and Interested Parties to whom a copy of this application is being mailed. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, such plats (being the same plats attached to the pre-application notice dated January 28, 2005) and list of parties are being furnished only to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Shreveport District of the Office of Conservation; however, the list of parties will be furnished to any party requesting copies. A reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties.

Finally, enclosed is our check on behalf of the applicant, in the amount of \$1,510.00 made payable to the Office of Conservation and representing the required hearing application fee.

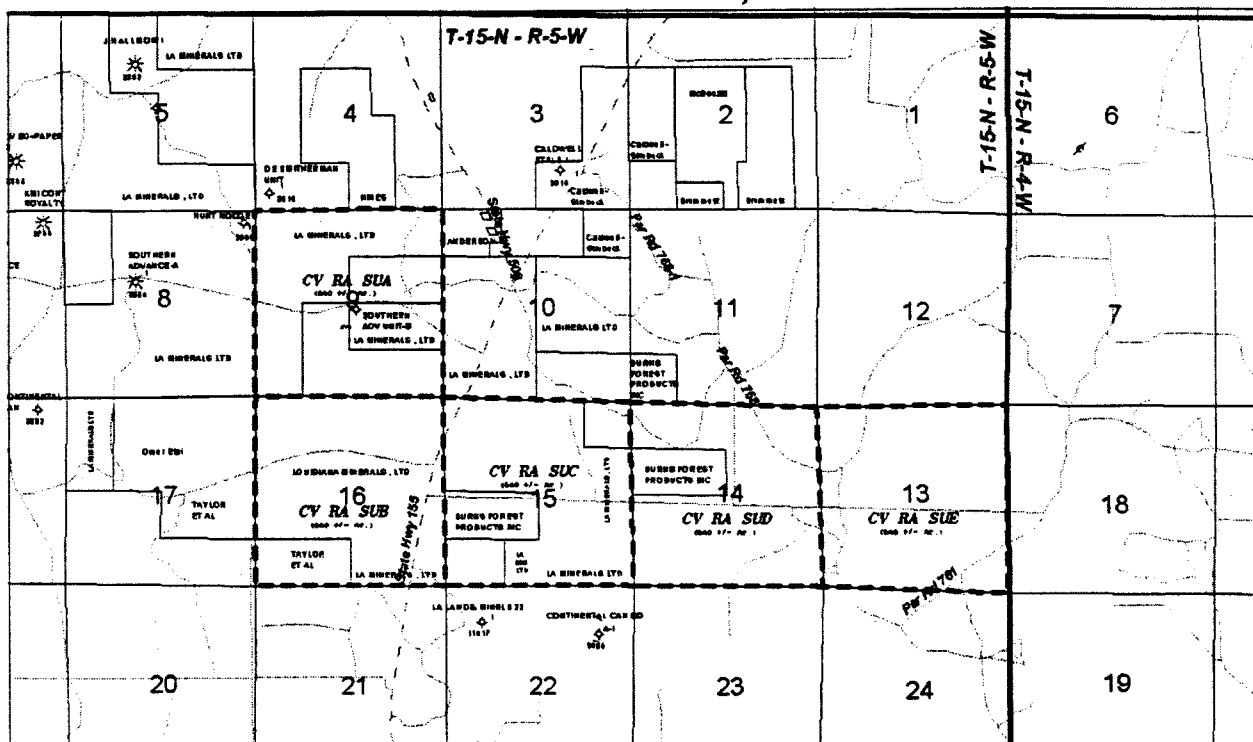
Very truly yours,

RWRjr/dbf
Attachments


Richard W. Revels, Jr.

cc: Mr. James Broussard, Shreveport District Office of Conservation
cc: Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties

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Tract Lines

 Dry Hole

4000 0 4000 Feet



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